

**ABSOLUTE RATING:** Average  
**IMPROVEMENT RATING:** Average

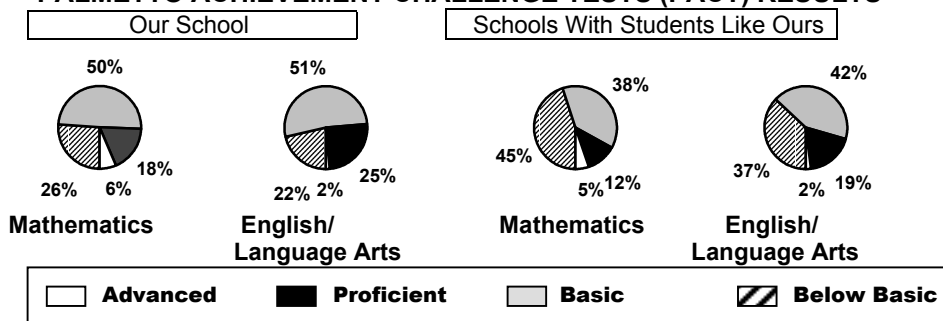
Number of middle schools with students similar to ours: 44. The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from below average to good. For the improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent.

#### RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD



(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

#### PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS



#### DEFINITIONS OF CRITICAL TERMS:

- Advanced** – Student performance exceeded expectations.
- Proficient** – Student performance met expectations.
- Basic** – Student performance met minimum performance expectations.
- Below Basic** – Student performance did not meet minimum performance expectations.

Science scores are to be reported on 2004 School Report Cards. Social studies scores are to be reported on 2005 School Report Cards.

#### PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING BASIC OR ABOVE ON THE PACT

Student Group	English/ Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies
<b>All students (n=587)</b>	78.5%	73.9%	N/A	N/A
Students with disabilities other than Speech (n=111)	52.3%	48.2%		
Students without disabilities (n=467)	86.3%	81.2%		
<b>Gender</b>				
Male (n=295)	74.6%	74%		
Female (n=283)	85.2%	75.7%		
<b>Ethnic Group</b>				
African American (n=187)	65.8%	61.5%		
Hispanic (n=N/A)	N/A	N/A		
White (n=390)	86.4%	81.1%		
Other (n=1)	N/A	N/A		
<b>Lunch Status Group</b>				
Free/reduced-price Lunch (n=342)	75.1%	71.1%		
Pay for lunch (n=236)	86.4%	80.5%		

#### SCHOOL PROFILE INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Middle School
<b>SCHOOL</b>				
• Dollars spent per student	\$3,864	N/A	\$5,052	\$5,127
• Prime instructional time	90.6%	Down from 91.6%	89.3%	89.6%
• Student-teacher ratio	24.2 to 1	N/A	20.6 to 1	21.4 to 1
<b>in core subjects</b>				
<b>STUDENTS (n=633)</b>				
• Attendance rate	95.7%	Down from 96.5%	95.4%	95.7%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level	5.9%	N/A	5.2%	4.5%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (math) off grade level	5.9%	N/A	5.1%	4.0%
• Retention rate	9.8%	Up from 8.2%	4.3%	4.5%
<b>TEACHERS (n=41)</b>				
• Professional Development days per teacher	8.1 Days	Up from 7.8	7.9 Days	8.0 Days
• Attendance Rate	96.2%	Down from 96.6%	95.3%	95.2%
• Teachers with advanced degrees	41.5%	No change	42.4%	45.8%
• Continuing contract teachers	68.3%	Down from 71.4%	76.9%	80.8%
• Teachers with out-of-field permits	7.3%	Up from 2.4%	2.1%	2.4%
• Teachers returning from the previous school year	80%	Down from 82.1%	82.8%	83.7%
• Average teacher salary	\$35,048	Up 1.5%	\$37,018	\$37,455

#### SCHOOL FACTS

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Middle School
<b>SCHOOL</b>				
• Dropout rate	0%	N/A	0%	0.0%
• Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries	62.3%	N/A	62.4%	61.5%
• Principal's years at the school	14	N/A	4	3.0
• Parents attending conferences	98.1%	N/A	84%	78.2%
• Opportunities in the arts	Good	N/A	Good	Good
<b>STUDENTS</b>				
• On academic plans	81.5%	Up from 48%	52.2%	45.8%
• On academic probation	0%	N/A	0%	0.0%
• Older than usual for grade	9.5%	Up from 7%	5.8%	4.5%
• Suspended or expelled	7	N/A	19	15
• Enrolled in high school credit courses	13.6%	N/A	12.9%	13.2%
• Gifted and talented	10.9%	Up from 7.4%	12.3%	12.1%
• With disabilities other than speech	20.8%	Up from 20.5%	14.9%	13.6%



## PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

2000-2001 was a great year for Macedonia Middle School and our School Improvement Council. Working together, we were able to accomplish the following:

- \* Added three after-school sessions of Soar to Success with students attending after-school sessions four days per week;
- \* Received a Service Learning Grant from Berkeley County School District;
- \* Received a School To Work Grant for "Exploring a Marine Study Program";
- \* Received the Distinguished Title I School Award;
- \* Raised over \$3,000 for children's charities;
- \* Secured glasses for numerous students courtesy of St. Stephen Lions Club and enhanced 25 students' academic and emotional needs throughout the school year through our Student Assistant Program;
- \* Placed second in the Berkeley County Mock Trial Competition;
- \* Received three second-places in Quest Competition;
- \* Our Business Partner, Jefferies Generating Station, augmented our Marine Science Project;
- \* Santee Cooper and Jefferies Generating Station, our High Performance Partnership, received the State Board Business Award.

In addition, our teachers worked especially hard. We renewed our five-year accreditation with the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, completed the five-year school renewal plan, and received a visit by the State Palmetto's Finest School Committee. Two of our teachers are in the process of becoming National Board Certified. Our wonderful PTA raised money for the purchase of ten classroom computers and, in conjunction with Pepsi Cola Company, secured our beautiful school marquee.

Macedonia Middle School continues to be a GREAT PLACE TO LEARN.

Janie Langley, Principal

### EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	100.0	73.5	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0	84.7	
Satisfied with home-school relations	90.9	85.6	

### DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

**Excellent** – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Good** – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Average** – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Below Average** – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Unsatisfactory** – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Macedonia Middle  
200 Macedonia Foxes Circle  
Moncks Corner, SC 29461

Grades 5-8 Middle School

Enrollment: 633 Students

### Principal

Mrs. Janie Langley 843-899-8940

### Superintendent

Dr. J. Chester Floyd 843-899-8601

### Board Chair

Ms. Carolyn Lewis 843-899-8602



## THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School  
Report Card

2001

School Grade:  
Average



### South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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